Defense Mega Center (DMC) Overview

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What is DMC?

- The Defense Information Systems Agency operates 16 computing centers (Defense Mega Centers) within the continental United States.
- The centers provide a wide range of services including applications support, network management, electronic vaulting, and continuity of operations.
- The centers support all branches of the Department of Defense.
- Standard Procurement System (SPS) support is currently provided by the DMC in Columbus, Ohio.

How can DMC support SPS?

- DMC can provide sites with remote server access, thereby reducing the hardware infrastructure requirements of the individual sites
- DMC provides general database administration support including daily backups
- DMC can provide some database update support, including large clause updates
- DMC can support the transmission of data to a shared data warehouse (SDW) and can host the SDW
- Note: Beginning in FY 1999, use of DMC by SPS sites will be on a fee-for-service basis

Who is using DMC?

- Currently there are 17 DoD SPS sites utilizing the DMC in Columbus, Ohio
- Of those 17 sites, 5 are Department of the Navy sites
 - Marine Corps Combat Development Command, Quantico,
 Virginia
 - Marine Corps Logistics Base, Barstow, California
 - Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, California
 - US Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland
 - US Naval Observatory, Washington, D.C.

Points of Contact

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